

## "WHITE BEAVER" AT THE POINT OF DEATH

Former Mayor Stricken in the Irma Hotel at Cody, Wyoming.

## HEART TROUBLE PROBABLY IS FATAL

Telegram Received Today by Drs. Powell Holds Out But Small Hope of Recovery of Prominent Former La Crosse Man.

Drs. George and Will Powell received the sad intelligence today that their brother, Dr. D. F. Powell (White Beaver) is stricken down with heart trouble in Hotel Irma at Cody, Wyoming, and indications are cannot recover.

Word was received by telegram, the first message conveying an account of his being stricken and others

telling of his serious condition.. The announcement of White Beaver's illness will cause profound regret among hundreds of La Crosse people who while he was a practicing physician and mayor of La Crosse enjoyed his numerous benefactions or felt his warm hearted philanthropy. News of his serious condition comes as a great shock to the community.

## BOYS STOLE COATS; BOUND OVER

With an old, old story which has been worked threadbare by thieves who have no other defense, Charles Bellairs and Clyde Schauerman of Minneapolis sought to obtain their freedom in county court this morning.

The two boys, who give their ages as 19 and 16 respectively, told Judge Brindley they bought the fur coats they are accused of stealing from S. Y. Hyde's barn, from a couple of strangers in the Burlington yards.

This evidence, given by themselves, constituted their only defense. On the other hand, the police had a clear case against them, finding them with the coats in their possession and securing evidence that one of the two had pawned a coat stolen the same night from another barn, with a Pearl street pawnbroker.

Simon Jacobs, who runs a second hand store, testified that Schauerman sold him a fur coat November 1st for two dollars, representing that he was

about to go to work for the Burlington and would redeem it Saturday night. Later the coat was identified by James Lynch, having been stolen from his barn, and the police returned it.

Henry Liso, coachman for S. Y. Hyde, told about the barn being entered Halloween night and his discovering that a fur coat owned by him, a duck coat belonging to Sam Hyde, one pair of mittens and one pair of gloves, had been stolen. The two coats worn by the boys at the time of their arrest were identified as the missing articles.

Officer McGrath testified regarding arresting the boys in the Milwaukee yards. When searched at the station keys, knives and an electric flashlight were found upon them.

Judge Brindley bound them over to the circuit court and in default of bail they were taken to the county jail to await the January term.

## NEW YORK WILD WITH POLITICS

(Scripps-McRae Dispatch.)

NEW YORK, Nov. 6.—The most excited campaign in the history of the city is ended and bloodshed is expected at the poles tomorrow.

The police are yielding their great, favoring any candidate except Murphy. They will likely support Hearst. Every citizen is talking politics.

All Wall street stopped work at noon. Brokers, bankers and employees

attended a meeting for Jerome at Beaver hall. A great throng heard the rattling speech in favor of Jerome by Everett Colby. Colby begged his hearers to give the grafters a knockout blow. Jerome spoke but was forced through a window on account of the crowd. He was very hoarse and only spoke a few minutes. He was forced by the crowd to make another outdoors.

## GREAT NORTHERN MAN SUPT. OF CONSTRUCTION OF PANAMA CANAL

(Scripps-McRae Dispatch.)

ST. PAUL, Nov. 6.—Walter G. Tubby, general storekeeper for the Great Northern, has been appointed superintendent of construction for the Panama canal.

## CHARLES LUKWITZ.

Charles Lukwitz, an old resident and for many years proprietor of a grocery store, died yesterday morn-

ing at his home, 1014 Pine street after an illness of two years with a complication of diseases.

The funeral will be held Wednesday afternoon from the German Lutheran church and interment will be made in oak Grove cemetery.

## MANGLED IN BAD WRECK

Word received here today says J. J. Seymore, formerly a fireman of this city, was seriously injured in a wreck of train in Mexico, where he is a conductor. He resides at Jimenez, Mexico, and is well known here.

## "WE ARE ALL DEAD UPSTAIRS"

Wrote a Jealous Husband Who Murders Wife and Babe.

(Scripps-McRae Dispatch.)

OTTAWA, Nov. 6.—Philander Buerkholder, near Hamilton, killed his wife and his month old baby, and committed suicide. He left a note on the door of the house pinned to the panel with a fork reading:

"We are all dead up stairs. Nerve yourselves and go up with care, an awful sight awaits."

He explained, saying he was jealous.

## HAVANA UNSANITARY SAYS SEN. CULLOM.

(Scripps-McRae Dispatch.)

WASHINGTON, Nov. 6.—Senator Cullom lodged a complaint with the president this morning against the Cuban government for not keeping Havana in a sanitary condition. He said he was informed by business men that no sewers were built since the evacuation and American residents fear yellow fever.

## SLUM WOMEN MARCH STREETS

(Scripps-McRae Dispatch.)

LONDON, Nov. 6.—Six thousand women from the slums marched through the city today. The premier and his brother received a deputation of eighteen women, two of them carrying babies. Balfour defended the "unemployed act" and showed the impracticability of these demands. The deputation was greatly dissatisfied. The premier did not promise a special parliament.

## SPANISH KING IN GERMAN CAPITAL

(Scripps-McRae Dispatch.)

BERLIN Nov. 6.—King Alfonso arrived this afternoon to visit the emperor. Two generals, detailed as attendants, wore the uniform of German colonels. He was met by officers of the 66th regiment of which he is honorary commander, at the station, and embraced the emperor who wore the uniform of a Spanish general. Prince Eitel Fritz commanded the guard of honor.

## INDICTED CAPITALISTS PLEAD NOT GUILTY.

(Scripps-McRae Dispatch.)

MINNEAPOLIS, Nov. 6.—W. F. Bechtel, former president of the Northwestern National Life Insurance company and others indicted Saturday, were arraigned this morning. Bechtel, Campbell, Kerr and Sackett are charged with grand larceny and Dearth with bribery. All pleaded not guilty.

## JABBED HIM WITH A PITCHFORK

A neighborhood row which has assumed the proportions of a Kentucky feud will be aired in the county court late this afternoon or tomorrow morning, when the principals will have an opportunity of telling their grievances.

Sensational charges are made against Minnie Lehman by John and Mary Peunt. They aver that she attacked them with a pitchfork, the handle being used on Mrs. Peunt's face with the result that a couple of her

teeth were knocked loose, while the prongs were jabbed into Mr. Peunt's limbs.

Albert Winke, a brother of Mrs. Lehman, is also charged with assault upon John Peunt. The families reside in the 1400 block on La Crosse street. Complaints of trouble in this neighborhood have been rife for some time and this is not the first case which has been in court. Extreme measures may be taken by the authorities to stop the feud.

## BRINDLEY HURT IN MINNESOTA GAME

La Crosse Boy Only Badger Player Injured in Contest.

Thad Brindley, son of Judge Brindley of La Crosse, left end of the Wisconsin football team, was the only Badger player injured in the big contest with Minnesota Saturday.

Judge Brindley returned yesterday after witnessing the game and reported that Thad sustained a wrench of the right knee in a scrimmage. He kept up through the game, however, and reports of the game indicate played a star part in the interference furnished Findlay in his two long runs for touchdowns. Mr. Brindley's injury is not a serious one and with good care he will have the swelling reduced and be able to practice again within a few days.

## PRINCE LOUIS AT WASHINGTON'S OLD HOME

(Scripps-McRae Dispatch.)

WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 6.—Prince Louis visited Mount Vernon and Washington's tomb, today.

## LA CRESCENT BOYS RECOVERING

George Daly of La Crescent, the ten-year-old boy who caused the explosion of an oil tank on a freight car at River Junction Saturday afternoon, as announced exclusively in Saturday's Tribune, is getting along nicely at St. Francis hospital and prospects of his recovery are favorable.

Henry Yohe, another youth of La Crescent, was also burned by the explosion but not as severely as the Daly boy.

The lads were playing around the freight cars at the junction and peered into the top of an empty oil tank. The tank had not been entirely drained of its contents and a lighted match dropped by the Daly boy into the opening caused the explosion which wrecked the car and two adjoining freight cars. The boys on top of the tank were injured by flames, not by the force of the explosion, which blew out either end of the tank.

## SALESMAN SUICIDES IN A HOTEL

CHICAGO, Nov. 6.—J. S. Burton, a Detroit travelingman, was found dead in the Serman hotel, this morning. He committed suicide.

## TWO KILLED IN CHICAGO WRECK

Grand Trunk Train Hits a Loaded Street Car in Blue Island.

(Special Tribune Dispatch.)

CHICAGO, Nov. 6.—A Grand Trunk train hit a street car at Blue Island, a suburb, this morning, and killed two and injured five.

The dead:

WILLIAM GOODRICH, Harvey, Ill.

GEORGE GORE, Harvey, Ill.

## STRAS TO FIGHT SANITARY LAW

Upon application of defendant's attorney the case against James F. Stras of the Morning Chronicle, charged with violating one of the state sanitary laws was continued in county court this morning, until a week from next Saturday.

This was done after an agreement was entered into between Factory Inspector Lehnhoff and the attorney, that one item in the complaint would be waived providing Mr. Stras in the meantime partially fixed up the interior of the Chronicle office to comply with one phase of the state law under which he was arrested.

But it is understood to be the disposition of Mr. Stras to fight the main issue in the case on the contention that his office does not come within the scope of the law because of the small number of employees.

## LION QUILTS AND THE PACKET SEASON CLOSED

Packet business on the upper Mississippi in this vicinity closed last Friday, when the steamer Lion arrived here from Wabasha on the last trip of the year. The boat has gone into winter quarters at Wabasha and together with other packets will not be seen in the water again until some time next April. The Lion has had a prosperous year.

The official closing of the river season is near at hand, government lights and boat insurance being discontinued Nov. 15.

### VETERAN ACTOR DEAD.

(Scripps-McRae Dispatch.)

NEW YORK, Nov. 6.—William J. Lemoine, the veteran actor, died this morning.

### WEATHER AND WATER

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• Cloudy tonight; threatening

• Tuesday, probably without rain;

• no material change in temperature.

• Highest temperature in 24 hours 44; lowest 34.

• The river will continue to fall.

• Stage of water today 5.4, a fall of .2 in 24 hours.

## RUSSIAN PERFECT BURNS 800 PEASANTS IN HALL

## COLUMBIA AND 2 OTHER BOATS GO

Florida-East Coast Railway Buys Upper River Steamers

Captain F. J. Fugina, owner of the excursion steamer Columbia today completed the sale of the Columbia to the Florida east coast railroad company. He was in the city today taking the boat to St. Louis where she will be delivered to her new owners. The company also purchased the Phil Scheffel and Virginia (formerly Rambo) from former Governor Van Sant of Minnesota. The board will be used as carriers by the railroad company in building 150 concrete arches along the coast of Florida which will be used in shortening their route.

Captain Fugina has options on three boats at St. Louis and will buy a boat larger than the Columbia which will be brought to this vicinity next spring to take the place of the Columbia in the excursion business.

## Orders Cossacks to Fire Building

## ONLY 200 ESCAPE ALIVE

Situation Clears in Other Places and the Strikes are Ending.

(Scripps-McRae Dispatch.)

BERLIN, Nov. 6.—A dispatch says in the Russian village of Jedozovograd a thousand peasants gathered to discuss politics. The prefect was unable to suppress them and approved cossacks igniting the building. Only two hundred escaped by the single narrow exit.

People to Blame.

ST. PETERSBURG, Nov. 6.—The Official Liberal this morning said "The attempt to fasten the responsibility of the Jewish massacres upon the bureaucracy is unsatisfactory. The whole Russian nation is to blame. Everyone in Russia regards the Jew as legitimate prey. When full reports are in they will show from thirty to forty thousand Jews killed or injured, while not a voice was raised in protest in all Russia. Not an authoritative word was said in condemnation. This fact is more horrible than the massacres themselves and presents, doubt that the Russian people are capable of governing themselves. The Jews cannot gain freedom under the liberal government unless they fight for it as the liberals are fighting the autocracy."

Helsingfors Strike Ended.

HELSINGFORS, Nov. 6.—The strike has ended and the city is assuming its normal aspect.

## EIGHT HOUR LAW IS CONSTITUTIONAL

(Special Tribune Dispatch.)

WASHINGTON, Nov. 6.—Missouri's eight hour law was held constitutional today in the supreme court.

## HANGS SELF WITH HANDKERCHIEF IN CELL AWAITING MURDER TRIAL.

CLEVELAND, Nov. 6.—Albert H. Darwin on trial for the murder of Mrs. Anna Gray of Joliet, Ills, committed suicide in jail this morning. He hanged himself to a steampipe with a handkerchief.

Jameson & Boie, agents for the celebrated Summit stoves and furnaces, have donated an elegant heater to the Baptist church bazaar at Masonic temple, Nov. 9, 1905. See heater in Lavake's grocery window.

## CAPT. THOMPSON CLOSES SEASON'S WORK ON RIVER

Appropriation for Next Year Will be \$10,000 Short of Amount Spent Last Season.

Government river improvement work on the upper Mississippi in charge of Capt. W. A. Thompson of this city closed Saturday, when the men were paid off and discharged and the fleet of boats ordered to winter quarters.

In Captain Thompson's office this morning it was stated that a larger part of the fleet would be quartered in Black river here during the winter. Eleven barges, two quarter boats, the sand dredge and the steamer Elsie will be tied up here, while the balance of the fleet including the steamer Elsie and smaller boats with barges, will be tied up in the Fountain City bay.

According to the estimate of Brigadier General MacKenzie, chief of engineers of the government river and harbor work, the appropriation for the upper river between St. Louis and St. Paul, will be reduced \$100,000 next year. For four years past this portion of the river has received \$400,000 annually with which to carry on improvement work. In accordance with a bill passed by congress at the last session but \$300,000 will be awarded to this section for the coming year. This sum, however, is used only for continuing contracts and does not conflict with any special appropriation which congress may make for permanently improving the upper Mississippi so as to assure a navigable stream at all stages of water.

The reduced appropriation does not affect in the least the work planned to be done under Captain Thompson's supervision. A large number of men will be employed on the river work out of this city next year, as in years past.



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AMATEURS FRIDAY NIGHT.

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NIGHT.

In the new play "Our Pastor," written by Jarrold Shepard, which will be seen at the La Crosse theatre Tuesday, Nov. 7, Daniel Sully returns to the character of a priest, in the portrayal of which he was so successful in the past. "Our Pastor" is essentially a play of American life. The scenes are laid in a small mining town in Idaho and the characters are types of the vigorous humanity found in that region.

This play promises to be one of the best of its kind to visit La Crosse this season and will undoubtedly play to a crowded house, tomorrow night.

STUNNING GOWNS OF  
MISS VAN STUDDIFORD.

Grace Van Studdiford wears some stunning gowns as Lady Teazle in S. S. and Lee Shubert's New York Casino comic opera success of the same title. In the first act the noted beauty appears in all the glory of a gown of sapphire blue chiffon, heavily pailletted in the same coloring over satin of the same tone, with draped overskirt of the period of white cloth embodied in blue scrolls, the splendid sapphires half covering the bodice, and a big blue hat with bird of paradise plumes.

The second gown is even more beguiling. It is of the softest pale green net over satin heavily embroidered in rose tints with which some superb emeralds are worn. The square cut corsage shows off the full throat, which is like a girl's for roundness and over her beautiful dark hair is daintily set a huge black rich velvet Gainsboro. The evening gown of the last act is a shimmer of cloth of gold, heavily done with brilliants, the corsage one glittering mass of diamonds. The hair is powdered for this, perfectly white, and in it are white feathers fastened with diamond ornaments.

Will be seen at La Crosse theatre Saturday, Nov. 11th.

USHER'S VIEW OF  
PROSPERITY OF  
LA CROSSE

Ellis B. Usher, in a column and a half article in the Milwaukee News, pays the following compliment to the growth of this city:

LA CROSSE, Wis., Nov. 4.--This handsome and progressive city has been making strides in the past four years that are scarcely realized by those of its own people who stay at home and make no comparisons with other cities of its class. It has really become one of the most modern, up-to-date and finished cities of 30,000 people in the entire West, and as a life-long resident here, an absence of nearly five years, perhaps makes me notice more than do those who remain here constantly, the substantial improvements which denote real progress.

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## Live Stock Receipts.

Chicago--Hogs, 33,000; cattle, 29,000; sheep, 40,000.

Kansas City--Hogs, 7,000; cattle, 17,000; sheep, 6,000.

Omaha--Hogs, 3,500; cattle, 5,500; sheep, 1,700.

Hogs opened steady, light 4.95 to 5.15; mixed 4.75 to 5.20; heavy 4.40 to 5.00; young pigs 5.05 to 5.10; cattle steady at 10 lower; sheep 10 lower.

Chicago close--Hogs, light, 4.80 to 5.15; heavy 4.45 to 5.20; rough 4.45 to 4.70; cattle dull and weak; sheep slow and weak.

## Butter and Eggs.

Butter--Steady; dairy, 22c; creamery, 25c.

Eggs--Strictly fresh, 22c.

## Vegetables.

Leaf lettuce--Dozen, 17c.  
Head lettuce--Dozen, 50c.  
Turnips--Bushel, 50c.  
New potatoes--Bushel, 70c.  
Celery--Dozen, 35c.  
Beets--Peck, 15c.  
Cabbage--Dozen, 30c.  
Dry onions--Peck, 25c.  
Parsnips--Bushel, 75c.  
Onions--Bushel, 80c.  
Bermuda Onions--Pound, 8c.  
Beets--Bushel, 60c.  
Carrots--Bushel, 60c.  
Spinach--Peck, 15c.  
Pie plant--Bunch, 3c.  
Wax Beans--8c.  
Cucumbers--Bushel, 80c.  
Summer squash--Dozen, 25c.  
Sweet potatoes--Pound, 5c.  
Pumpkins--Each, 5 to 8c.  
Hubbard squash--Each, 8 to 10c.  
Cauliflower--Bunch, 15c.

## WHOLESALE PRICES.

Wheat--70 to 75c.  
Barley--35 to 40c.  
Oats--22 to 25c.  
Corn--30 to 42c.  
Rye--50 to 55c.  
Fruit--California navels, \$4 to \$5; California lemons, \$6 to \$7; bananas, per bunch, \$1.50 to \$2.50.  
Live stock--Hogs, \$4.40 to \$4.60.  
Poultry--Live chickens, 7c; spring chickens, 7c; live ducks, 9c; live geese, 8c; live turkeys, 11 to 13c.

## Wood.

Hardwood--Cord, \$5.50 to \$6.

Slabs--Cord, \$3.75.

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Honey--Pound, 13c.

## Flour.

Patent, per bbl., \$5.00; straight, per bbl., \$4.80.

## Fruits.

Lemons--Dozen, 20 to 30c.  
Oranges--Dozen, 40 to 50c.  
Peaches--Basket, 15, 20, 25c.  
Pears--Dozen, 15 to 25c.  
Apples--Duchess, peck, 25 to 30c.  
Apples--Wealthies, peck, 20c.  
Green apples--Bushel, 60c.  
Grapes--Basket, 25c.  
Crab apples--Bushel, \$1.00.

## Miscellaneous.

Quinces--Peck, 50c.

Cranberries--Quart, 10c.

Just as it costs no more for a long trip on an up-to-date trolley car now than it used to for a short one on a horse car, so the modern store, which spends money for advertising, can sell goods more cheaply than the old-fashioned store which "saves the expense of advertising."

OF INTEREST TO  
LOVERS OF ART

People who are interested in art will be pleased to learn from his official announcement that Joseph G. Fisher is again entering the picture and framing business here, his department in the Heystek store being already open.

Mr. Fischer is widely known in La Crosse as a militiaman, being one of the early day guards who first shouldered a gun. He is better known, however, from a business standpoint. He has made art in picture framing a life study, and his workmanship is sought by the most fastidious homes in the city. He has had seventeen years actual experience and it goes without saying that his new department will have generous patronage.

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## BOY GOES TO LONE- LY GRAVE UN- ATTENDED

No friends bore the casket of Roy Sumner, murdered in Dubuque by "Ed" Clark, formerly of La Crosse.

No committal services were executed at the grave. There were no mourners and no tears were shed. Roy Sumner's best friend on earth, his mother, was not at his grave side when he was consigned to everlasting rest. A bouquet of beautiful flowers found a resting place on the plain black casket.

Roy Sumner was, in the opinion of the people, scandalously treated by his own flesh and blood. His father denied his son a respectable burial. His mother, who lives apart from the boy's father, was not in a financial condition to take care of the body. Shot down in cold blood, left to die alone at the hospital, deserted by his own father and buried by strangers in a town away from his birth, was the brief but sad finish of the young man.

His mother, who has liquidated all expenses relative to the burial, did not see fit to remain and see the boy buried. "Let everything be as quiet and unostentatious as possible," she said to Coroner Hoar. "I have arranged," she said, "for perpetual care of his grave and now that all is arranged I will depart."

The casket containing the body of the victim of a woman's perfidy and a jealous husband's wrath was moved from the morgue, placed in a wagon at the rear of the building and quietly moved to the cemetery. Here a group of curious people saw the burial. Thus is concluded the final chapter in the sensational shooting case which Wm. H. Clark has yet to answer for.

## LA CROSSE ENGINEER INSPECTS ROADS

Civil Engineer James Hill, of La Crosse, was here last week, says the Whitehall Times, and looked over the bluff roads north of the village leading into the town of Hale. Mr. Hill was accompanied over the territory by Messrs. D. Wood and G. S. Rice. The Whitehall Improvement association has wisely taken hold of this matter and with a liberal appropriation by the village will see to it that the above highways are put into the most feasible condition practicable, which will insure Whitehall the trade tributary to it from that prosperous section. Work has already been begun on the reconstruction. The above association has the enhancement and perfection of the commercial interests of the county seat well in hand and does not propose to leave a stone unturned that in the least interferes with the successful carrying out of the plans adopted for the betterment of the business and social relations with our friends in the country.

The Bijou is thoroughly first class in every particular and is becoming popular among the ladies and children.

## Mr. Golman Had No License

Complaint was made that a certain Mr. Golman of La Crosse, says the Cashon Record, was going through this section of the country selling watches to the farmers without a peddler's license. Marshall Luce was on the lookout for him, and when he came to the village, was immediately taken into custody. It was pretty cold in the lockup so this gentleman was allowed to wait at Hotel Byer in charge of the landlord, while the marshal went to get a team to convey the prisoner to Sparta. While Mr. Byer's back was turned for a few minutes the wily peddler took to his heels and has not been seen or heard of since. He left all his watches at the hotel. We understand his wife telephoned here inquiring about him.

## FARMER HAD A "M'CURDY" GRAFT

Fred Storms, a prominent farmer residing near Oto, Iowa, is a prisoner in the Winona county jail and will be taken to Sioux City, Iowa, to answer a charge of obtaining money under false pretenses.

Storms was arrested at St. Charles by City Marshal Parr and was then brought to Winona to await the arrival of the Iowa authorities who have a warrant for the man's arrest.

The stories concerning the crime with which Storms is charged shows that he had a unique manner of securing money when he was hard up.

Storms was living with his wife and family on a farm in Iowa and he went to the agency of the Western Elevator company in Oto and entered into a contract with the elevator company whereby he was to deliver, at a stated price per bushel, 400 bushels of barley, the barley to be delivered to the elevator by Sept. 25.

On the strength of the contract Storms asked for an advance payment to the amount of \$50 and this amount was paid to him. Storms did not show up with the barley and the elevator company began to search for the man and it was found that he had left the country.

### CLEANED HOUSE.

Out With the Old Food and In With the New.

They have sensible women in El Reno, Oklahoma. One says:

"For 20 years I was accustomed to eat freely of pork, hot biscuits shortened with lard, and a rich diet of every kind, washed down with plentiful strong coffee.

"In time my appetite became fickle and my digestion was almost completely destroyed.

"My complexion grew to be absolutely repulsive—thick, muddy and blotched—and I was so nervous and cross that I cannot now understand how my friends endured my crankiness; my memory failed, nothing went right with me and life became almost unendurably burdensome. Medicine did me absolutely no good whatsoever. I endured this condition for 7 years.

"In January (1904) a friend told me that for several years prior to 1900 she had suffered much as I appeared to be suffering, and that the cause of it was improper food. That when she reached this conclusion she began the systematic use of Grape-Nuts food, with a general course of diet and exercise, such as is recommended in the little book, 'The Road to Wellville,' and was thereby completely restored to health in a very short time.

"Knowing that the word of my friend could be implicitly relied upon, I determined to follow her example. I stopped the use of all medicines at once, made Grape-Nuts food the principal article of my diet, and practiced the course of living enjoined in the 'Road to Wellville'—and all to my great joy and bodily comfort as witness:

"My mind became clear and active, and my memory fully restored.

"My digestion has been completely renewed, and I am no longer haunted nightly by hideous dreams.

"My appetite has ceased to be fickle and capricious, one moment 'all gone' and the next voracious and insatiable, but now it is healthy and normal, once more.

"My nerves are steady and strong. 'I really believe I am as amiable as any woman ought to be on this earth. I'm glad I'm living.

"My complexion has cleared up and is like it used to be when I was a girl." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

The little book, "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs.

## Nervous Worn-Out

If you are in this condition, your nerve force is weak—the power is giving out, the organs of your body have "slowed up," and do their work imperfectly. This failure to do the work required, clogs the system and brings distress and disease. When the nerves are weak the heart is unable to force the life-giving blood through your veins; the stomach fails to digest food; the kidneys lack power to filter impurities from the blood, and the poisonous waste remains in the system to breed disease. Nerve energy must be restored. Dr. Miles' Nerveine will do it, because it strengthens the nerves; it is a nerve medicine and tonic, that rebuilds the entire nervous system.

"Several years ago I was all broken down. I was nervous, worn-out, could not sleep, and was in constant pain. I doctored for months, and finally the doctor said he could do nothing for me. I began taking Dr. Miles' Nerveine and used altogether eight bottles, and I became strong and healthy, and now weigh 170 pounds."

H. C. CUNNINGHAM,  
108 Ellsworth Ave., Allegheny, Pa.  
Dr. Miles' Nerveine is sold by your druggist, who will guarantee that the first bottle will benefit. If it fails, he will refund your money.  
Miles Medical Co., Elkhart, Ind.

## CITY NEWS

It is thought that traffic upon the upper river will close with this week. Hawkes' glass sold at Hellfach's.

The claims committee of the county board will be in session two or three days passing upon bills to come before the board at its meeting next week.

### THE HEAVY LIGHT MAN.

The game between the Milwaukee medical college and Wisconsin Business University football teams has been cancelled.

Several matinees are given daily at the Bijou theatre for the children and ladies.

Wednesday night occurs the big K. P. district convention. Several hundred visiting knights are expected.

Rogers' teaspoons, 60c, Hellfach's. A large amount of farm produce is being brought to the city and buyers are all very busy. Good stiff prices are being paid for most everything.

Don't fail to hear Mr. W. W. Lander in his lecture recitals at St. Rose Conservatory, Nov. 7th.

Rev. William H. Vance, presiding elder of the La Crosse district, preached in the Trempealeau Methodist church yesterday and administered the sacrament of the Lord's Supper. In the afternoon he conducted similar services at Centerville.

"I'm Longing for You." This is the title of the beautiful illustrated song which will be sung with a quartette chorus at the Bijou this week.

The La Crosse people who attended the big game at Minneapolis Saturday returned wildly enthusiastic over the success of Wisconsin, and all report the finest exhibition of football they ever witnessed.

There's no beauty in all the land

That can with her face compare.

Her lips are red, her eyes are bright.

She takes Rocky Mountain Tea at night.—Ask your druggist.

Four operations in one day were performed upon Mrs. Ole Onstinson of Galesville by Dr. Gunderson. She is getting along nicely at the Lutheran hospital.

1,000 new scarfpins at Hellfach's.

Six deaths from diphtheria have occurred in La Crosse within the past month. Health Officer Major reports there are four cases in the city now.

The Bijou theatre opens this week's program with Miss Felice Alexander, the captivating dancing girl as one of the features.

Electric wiring, Benton, phone 178. Mrs. A. B. Moll has returned from an extended trip in the east.

Obstinate constipation, indigestion and stomach disorders are permanently and positively cured by taking Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets. Ask your druggist.

The Ladies' society of the First Presbyterian church serve a chicken pie supper in the church parlors Tuesday, Nov. 7th, 6:00 p. m. Everybody invited.

Three lady clerks, address "H", care Tribune. State experience if any and wages expected.

Numerous dancing parties and balls are being planned by local clubs and fraternal organizations and the winter dancing season promises to be exceedingly lively.

500 60c alarm clocks at Hellfach's. Joe Byron and May Blanch appear in "Matrimonial Sweets in Family Jars" at the Bijou tonight.

Thomson Thompson, who has been ill at the La Crosse hospital has re-

covered and returned to his home in Lanesboro.

Don't try to do two women's work on wash day. Beach's Peosta Soap will do the work of one woman if you will but soak the clothes in Peosta suds. Buy it from your grocer and follow the modern work saving way described in the directions.

Florodora at the theatre last night was attended by a fair sized audience. The best show of the week comes tomorrow night when Daniel Sully will appear in "Our Pastor."

Best place in city to buy watches, at Hellfach, jeweler.

The Bijou presents an entire change of program this evening.

Dr. D. S. McArthur and John Langdon have returned from a week's hunting trip. They camped out near Lytle's most of the time.

We had over a hundred of ladies in this morning looking at our hand painted china. Hellfach, the leading jeweler.

H. Griswold, father of Mrs. Orlando Holway, is suffering from a stroke of paralysis.

Johnson's Blue Ribbon Chocolates at Roth's.

John Krentz, assistant city clerk, returned to his work today after a vacation of two weeks which was spent in camping out and hunting.

Dr. George Powell, consulting physician and surgeon.

Rev. J. K. Fowler addressed the

## WINTER APPLES

Northern Spy, Spitzenburgs, Baldwins, G. Sweets, Russets

And other varieties. I have picked every barrel myself and guarantee them to be as represented. Come and see my stock before buying elsewhere.

**CARL VOLLENWEIDER**

New Phone 686 R

429 Jay Street

men's meeting at the Y. M. C. A. yesterday afternoon.

Will Young has returned to his home in Preston after a short visit with friends here.

Our electric lamps are the talk of the town. Hellfach's.

Twenty-seven blocks of water main will be laid on the south side before winter sets in.

Rone and Ellis, comedy barrel jumpers at the Bijou, will be something entirely new to La Crosse theatre-goers.

Dr. W. Powell, diseases of women.

H. Jefferson of Sparta was among the visitors in the city Saturday.

THE HEAVY LIGHT MAN.

Hard coal is retailing in the city at

\$9.50 per ton and prospects are it will remain at this price throughout the winter.

The palace of the Arabian Nights is the captivating play which will be reproduced by electricity at the popular Bijou theatre tonight.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Evans have returned from a short visit with relatives at Rockland.

Baby sleeps and grows while mammy rests if Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea is given. It is the greatest baby medicine ever offered loving mothers. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets. Ask your druggist.

Only seven transfers of real estate were recorded last week in the office of the register of deeds.

ONLY EXCLUSIVE DRY GOODS STORE IN THE CITY

## COREN'S

DAILY STORE NEWS

**\$15.00 CLOAKS FOR \$10.00.** Women's stylish Tourist Coats, made of all wool cloaking in grey tans and fancy mixtures, loose back with inverted pleat, collarless, trimmed with braid, leg-mutton sleeve, double breasted, worth \$15, and cheap at that, come tomorrow and take your choice for.....

**\$10.00**

**Outing Flannel Night Robes.** Buy your supply now, while assortment is at its best.

**Outing Flannel Gowns** for men, women and children, of good quality outing flannel, well sewed and trimmed, 65c values, tomorrow each.....

**50c**

**Outing Flannel Gowns**, for men and women of best quality outing flannel, neat patterns, full sizes, well made at.....

**75c**

**Outing Flannel Gowns** for women, extra large sizes of best outing, neat patterns, worth \$1.00, at only.....

**85c**

**Outing Flannel Gowns** for men and women, made of best outing in plain or figured, nicely trimmed at each.....

**\$1.00**

**Tam O'Shanter's** for Misses and Children at about Half Price.

**Tams** in red or brown, were 50c, Tomorrow.....

**28c**

**Tams** in assorted colors, were 65c, Tomorrow.....

**39c**

**Tams** in black and colors, long nap worth 75c, tomorrow.....

**48c**

**Fascinators** in black or white, made of saxony yarn at each.....

**25c**

**Fascinators** in black or white, large squares, made of saxony yarns at.....

**38c**

**Fascinators** in fancy colors, in blue and white or pink and white combinations made of mercerized yarn at ea.....

**65c**

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Durability & Economy



You need a Fur Lined Ulster. We want to show you our splendid line of Kuppenheimers. You need a neat and serviceable Winter Suit. You can afford one at any price but you

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...LATEST STYLES IN FURNISHINGS...

The GORDON HAT

**PETER NEWBURG**

324-326 PEARL STREET



# THE LA CROSSE TRIBUNE

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## TO MERCHANT ADVERTISERS.

It is of importance to every merchant in this city that he know as nearly as possible the relative circulations of the newspapers in which he advertises.

So far as the city is concerned, the most practical way of determining circulation is by a canvass of the entire city. This will eliminate the possibility of "padding."

We therefore make this offer to the La Crosse Retail Merchants' Association:

The Tribune will contribute to the Merchants' Association one-third (1-3) the expense of such a canvass, upon the following conditions:

A committee to have charge of the canvass shall be chosen at a regular meeting of the association, said committee to be elected, and not appointed by the chair.

The fact that said committee is to be elected shall be advertised in the daily papers at least one week prior to said meeting.

Said committee shall employ canvassers to make a systematic canvass of the city, and said canvassers shall report by blocks the exact number of subscribers each paper has in each and every block in the city.

Canvassers shall also make inquiry of subscribers as to whether they have ordered any papers coming to their homes, whether they read them, and expect to pay for them, and whether they have ordered any papers stopped that continue to come to their homes, and whether any such papers are "sample copies," or are delivered on approval.

Of course the Leader-Press and The Chronicle will agree to defray one-third each of this expense, so there should be no delay in causing the canvass to be made. Or perhaps they will decline, "for business reasons."

TRIBUNE PUBLISHING CO.,  
A. M. Brayton,  
Manager.

## THE FOLLY OF GREED MAKES MAGNATE'S BOOTY.

The more one contemplates it, the more astounding is the impudence displayed by the Light Trust in its announcement of a cut in prices amounting to 25 per cent of its gross charges, upon the very close of the last month during which it was to enjoy a monopoly of the field. Not even for policy's sake would the trust make this reduction until practically the last hour of its opportunity to plunder. What more striking proof of the value of competition than the fact that upon the day and hour of its introduction official announcement of a 25 per cent reduction in prices is made!

And there are in this city many people who yesterday were crying out against the robbery of the Light Trust, who are today running back and forth between it and the Independent company seeking a shade of 1/4 of a cent per 1,000 watts either way, and not caring which way. This is the policy of "every man for himself," but men who cannot, in the light of past experiences, see any further than the ends of their noses, are entitled to "the devil for us all" results of a short-sighted greed. To gain a temporary advantage of 1/4 of a cent, they would tie up with the old company that, by its recent reduction of 2 1/2 cents, has confessed to a long-standing robbery of at least that much. Suppose they get that 1/4 of a cent for a year, and that thereafter the Independent company resents this petty piggishness and goes out of business? Then, for 20 years, that same man who made the 1/4 of a cent per 1,000 watts for a year, will be robbed of 2 1/2 cents per 1,000 watts for 20 years, or a total of 25 cents per 1,000 watts of his annual consumption for 20 years.

Figure that up, and see what it amounts to to each of you. A house and lot to many of you; a horse and buggy to the smallest light user of all! And every man who enters into a "dicker" with the old light trust deserves to get just what the Light Trust intends to give him—light at reasonable prices until competition is "eliminated"—and then h—ll!

## AS TO THE KELLY "ALLEGATIONS."

A fellow known as N. C. Kelly, formerly of La Crosse, now of Los Angeles, California, recently was divorced from his wife here on some "statutory" pretext or another. There was no real ground for the divorce so far as he was concerned, excepting his desire to escape the responsibilities resting upon every man who has a wife and family dependent upon him. He is said to have had "other plans."

The Tribune printed the story of the divorce, and said that it was "alleged" that Christian Science was responsible, the wife being a Christian Scientist, the husband and a woman whom he "knew" claiming to be.

Thereafter James Phelps, of the Christian Science state publication committee, of Milwaukee, wrote The Tribune an earnest and under the circumstances temperate letter, defending his religion against the charge that it could have been responsible for this remarkable decree of a court of justice (probably under circumstances of the real injustice and pathos of which the court knew nothing). Mr. Phelps placed the responsibility where it belonged as emphatically as pen and ink could do so.

The Tribune desires that Christian Scientists understand that in printing as an "allegation" the claims of this man, it did not intend to become responsible for them; it did not believe them, and a careful examination of the facts has induced this journal to publicly repudiate the idea that the allegations were true or even reflected the actual facts in the case. Without stating the known purpose of Kelly's conduct we say that the sequence of events was such as to make honest people rebel at the "putting away" of the true wife. That she, who alone could have secured a divorce on the ground of desertion, consented to the proceedings, is no defense, nor is it even an explanation. We do not hesitate to say that she yielded to influence after months of importunity on the part of her faithless husband. To blame a Christian religion for this brutal affair is an injustice to the creed that will do it no harm when the real facts are known; the harm done the wronged wife can never be remedied.

## THE UP-TO-DATENESS OF MERCANTILE LA CROSSE.

The other day a gentleman who is associated with one of the largest department stores in Chicago, spent a few days in La Crosse on business. Having some time to spare, he looked over the city, and found much to commend. Our streets, our buildings, our natural scenery and commercial advantages, our residence section and our vigorous merchant public came in for favorable comment.

Being a merchant, he paid particular attention to our stores, whose up-

## DEFIANCE

"We will not reduce the price of gas until there is a competing gas plant in La Crosse."

PHILO M. GELATT, (On a Street Car)  
See La Crosse Gas & Electric Co.

## THE NIGHT TERROR.

Way back in childhood, we recall  
What terror of the night was there,  
And how our mothers stilled our fears  
By saying God was everywhere.

And, comforted, we fell asleep,  
Tho' Wind and Storm and Night held sway;  
And on the morn we woke to find  
Another happy, sunlit day.

In manhood's strength, with Vigor's stride,  
Resourcefully we urge our way  
Through darkness physical as through  
The glowing hours of smiling day.

But when there comes the mental night—  
The blighting gloom of wounded soul—  
Ah then, thou' self-reliant man,  
Where is thy all-sufficient role?

O happy he who knows to kneel  
And in HIS night his soul to bare  
To Him of Whom his mother said,  
The God of Hosts was everywhere!

And happy he, who gazing through  
The blackness of his soul's despair,  
Sees in the gleam of coming day  
A sign that God IS everywhere!

—FANNY FAN.

to-date attractiveness he said was remarkable for a city of this size. In the whole northwest, not even excepting Minneapolis and St. Paul, he said, there is not so splendid and complete a department store as the Park store. He spent an hour there and went from basement to roof; it was simply wonderful in a city of this size, he said.

That is the word of a man from Chicago. We at home may not fully appreciate the greatness of our city, the energy and modernity of our merchants. "Familiarity breeds contempt," and because long familiar with these advantages, we lose sight of their importance. Outsiders keep reminding us of them, however, and if anybody asks you, say that La Crosse is the most up-to-date city in the northwest, and leave it to Chicago to judge.

## THE THRUST OF A TRUST.

That was a pretty "hot shot" that the Armour ilnes "handed" the interstate commerce commission the other day. The attorney for the Beef Trust told the president of the commission that "it," which proved to mean everything about the Beef Trust, was none of the affair of the commission. He said that his company would brook no inquiry into its private affairs, and he declined to answer any questions that might throw light on the existence or non existence of a "trust," or to say anything likely to prove whether or not a conspiracy existed to defeat the purposes of existing laws. And the poor old commission sweat a little blood, and learned what it could (which was nothing), and that constituted the entire result of the "inquiry."

And some people are saying that to clothe this commission with further power would be an "outrage" upon the railroads and the trusts and those worthy "pioneers of civilization" that are robbing the mighty American public on every article of commerce made and transported for their use. And railroad satellites are writing the "news" that the Esch-Townsend bill is "regarded" as one of the "most dangerous and atrocious" bills that ever came before congress. It certainly is "dangerous" to the burglars of monopoly whose jimmies and dark lanterns it proposes to confiscate.

## THE "VIEW-WITH-ALARM KNOCKERS.

The Milwaukee Free Press makes a spirited attack upon certain "journalists" who have attempted to create the impression that the seat of Governor La Follette in the United States senate may be contested because of criticisms he has uttered of that body, or members of it. The necessity of denying so silly a pretense seems lacking, but the article is spicy and we reproduce it because it is a readable and effective sample of cutting irony:

"There has been more or less talk about the possibility that some senator will make objection to some of the things that Gov. La Follette has said during his summer and fall campaign this year; possibly making a protest against the new senator from this state taking his seat, and basing his objection on reports that have been published to the effect that the governor has attacked the body of which he is to become a member.

"There is little credence to be given any such publication. There was the case of the 'interview' with Gov. La Follette, that was published in an Ohio paper last summer, and telegraphed to the Milwaukee Morning Grazier, and afterward copied in the Grazier from the Ohio paper as proof that it was genuine.

"We could never understand how the repetition of a lie proves anything; but this republication was considered at the time to have silenced all criticism.

"No such interview, and no interview at all, was given by the governor to any Ohio newspaper at that time; or, it is safe to say, at any other time.

"There was also the sensational story about the declaration by the governor that he would like to hang, or help hang, Stuyvesant Fish. This story made a great impression in the gentle eastern country, where the ways of the wild west are not understood. The New York Post, we recollect, threw a very severe fit on account of it.

"The governor simply said nothing that the story could reasonably be tortured out of. The yarn was a fabrication pure and simple; or rather impure, and too simple for belief.

"There was another 'interview,' that was not given—the governor never gives interviews—out in Dakota; made up of nothing; absolutely nothing.

"So if some senator should arise in his place and object to the new senator from Wisconsin taking his seat because of things he may be charged with having said about the senate as a body, or about some members of it, or about some friend of some member, there will always be the possibility that the charge is based on a 'pipe' story.

"At any rate, it does not look likely that, unless Secretary Taft is to be called to account for his disloyalty to the party, Senator La Follette will be held up for anything he has said to the unfaithful out in Ohio."

# COATS! COATS! Suits and Skirts



Children's all wool long coats trimmed with braid and velvet, a beautiful garment, nobby and dressy, at from \$3.25 to.....

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Ladies' Coats, all wool and all sizes and colors, a very stylish garment, well made in up-to-now patterns, at from \$5.00 to.....

**\$45.**

**SKIRTS**—Ladies' Walking Skirts, the right styles, in black, blue and brown, each at.....

**\$5.00**

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500 Choice Hats, all ready to wear, very distinguished styles, beautiful shapes, at from \$2.00 to.....

**\$19.50**

## NOVEMBER LINENS

**SPECIAL** Linen Sale—all this month—all linen 64 inch bleached table damask, this sale only, at.....

**50c**

All Linen twenty-four inch Napkins, bleached, a great bargain, during this sale only, per dozen at.....

**\$1.00**

**CRASH** Toweling, an unequalled bargain, at 5 cents, 7 1/2 cts, 11 cent and 15 cents per yard.....

**15c**

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## JUST LIFE

### Where Shame Starts.

In a "grill" room—a room glistening with gaudy paint and tapestries, reeking with tobacco smoke; where drunken men cursed and guffawed in coarse tones and where women and young girls, drowsy under the influence of liquor, leered and smiled as the jests were passed—a young girl sat a dazed spectator and a timid, silent participant.

She watched with wondering eyes as one of the revelers balanced a foaming glass on a bottle neck, and she shrunk away when a drunken fellow staggered up and sat down beside her.

Needless to say, it was her first experience.

Scarcely knowing the sin that lurked within she entered the place with a girl friend and her paramour. She sat, an unwilling guest, at the table with them. Her big brown eyes wandered from face to face, and when they met sober eyes they looked away in shame. Frequently she glanced at the painted walls and the gaudy pictures and her look was that far-away look that comes when one is thinking—thinking hard.

A playful nudge from her hardened companion brought her back and a sad smile played across her beautiful—almost classical—face, until, as she searched the faces about her, her eyes again would meet sober eyes. Then the shamed, downcast look.

She seemed so out of place there,

in that licentious, wanton gathering. Her lenitive mien, her beautiful face and form did not go unnoticed. Bloodshot, sleepy, hungry eyes were turned upon her ravenously and she blushed in shame.

Imagine the most beautiful, the purest girl of your acquaintance in a hall with fifty drunken men and women, where the clink of beer glasses mingled with the rasping tones of tuneless stringed instruments, where a curse brought forth a laugh, where morality has no place, where respect for women and God is unknown; imagine this beautiful creature like a frightened dove in a den of wolves, with a dozen pairs of drink-glazed eyes devouring her as she sat too dazed to move or speak, and you have the picture.

Presently a girl crossed the room and leaning close to her whispered something into her ear. Her face brightened a bit. She arose and they left together.

A moment later two men—men with whom the other girl had been conversing as they watched her sharply—arose and slipped out another door.

Needless to say, it was her first experience.

All this happened within 48 hours past. It all happened in "the rear" of a downtown saloon.

But let's see? Were not the wine rooms closed? Oh, yes! We remember. They were closed a year ago.

That is, the front entrance was closed.

—W. V. K.

## Report of the Financial Condition

### of the

### BATAVIAN NATIONAL BANK

Located at La Crosse, State of Wisconsin, at the close of Business on the 25th Day of August, 1905.

RESOURCES	
Loans and discounts.....	\$2,449,141.69
Overdrafts.....	183.18
U. S. bonds and premium.....	412,000.00
Other bonds.....	136,811.89
Banking house & fixtures.....	75,000.00
5% redemption fund.....	20,000.00
Cash and due from banks.....	592,562.71
	\$3,685,699.47

LIABILITIES	
Capital stock.....	\$ 400,000.00
Surplus.....	103,000.00
Undivided profits.....	8,399.65
Nat'l bank notes outstanding.....	330,000.00
Certified checks.....	220.00
Deposits.....	2,787,079.82
	\$3,685,699.47

## THE NATIONAL BANK OF LA CROSSE

August 25th 1905.

Loans and Discounts.....	\$2,468,450.12
Overdrafts.....	2,278.59
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation.....	200,000.00
Other Bonds.....	211,000.00
Banking House.....	50,000.00
Other Real Estate.....	100.00

CASH RESOURCES	
U. S. Bonds to secure U. S. Deposits.....	\$ 50,000.00
With Banks.....	586,366.30
With Treas. U. S.....	10,000.00
In Vaults.....	139,588.03
	825,954.33

Total..... \$3,767,783.04

LIABILITIES	
Capital.....	250,000.00
Surplus.....	150,000.00
Undivided Profits.....	55,033.39
Circulation.....	200,000.00
Deposits.....	3,112,749.65

Total..... \$3,767,783.04  
United States Depository.

**3% Interest**  
On Savings credited semi-annually.  
Deposits made prior to the 5th draw interest from 1st of each month.  
SI starts an account.  
**The State Bank of La Crosse, La Crosse, Wisconsin.**  
Capital and Surplus \$100,000.00.

## Exchange State Bank

NORTH LA CROSSE.

Capital..... \$25,000.00

Surplus..... 3,000.00

A general banking business transacted.

OFFICERS—J. E. Wheeler, pres.; Orlando Holway, vice-pres.; Jos. P. Gohres, cashier; Robt. B. Lowry, ass't cashier. Directors—J. E. Wheeler, Orlando Holway, W. B. Tscharnier, Wm. F. Gohres, S. J. Waite.

## La Crosse Business Directory

### THE NEW STORE.

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## FATHER OF E. M. YOUNG DIES AT LISBON.

E. M. Young, proprietor of the Owl drug store, has received word of the death of his father, Louis Young, Sr., on November 2nd. Mr. Young had been near death for several months and the end was not unexpected.

Mr. E. M. Young of this city expressed a beautiful bunch of flowers to his father so that they would reach him on his birthday. They arrived Nov. 2nd the day of his death, his birthday being Nov. 3rd. The old gentleman was a great admirer of flowers.

Speaking of the demise of deceased the Lisbon (La.) Sun says:

"On Thursday forenoon, November 2d, 1905, at eleven o'clock, Mr. Louis Young, a highly respected citizen of Lisbon, passed away at his home on east Main street. Mr. Young has been sick during the past year.

Mr. Young resided years ago, on a farm east of Lisbon, and after retiring from the farm he removed to Beaman, Iowa, where he resided several years. His old friends and acquaintances were not forgotten, and also the pleasant recollections of his long residence near Lisbon still clung to himself and wife, and they decided to return to Lisbon and pass their declining years. They purchased a snug residence, with surroundings beautified by their handiwork, and here they have lived happily for quite a term of years.

Mr. Young's illness was of long duration, but he was patient through it all. A few months ago that home was saddened by the sudden and very much unexpected death of their daughter, Mrs. Annie Marsh, who had come from her home at Conrad (a town near Beaman) to care for her father and also assist her mother, who was sick at the time.

Mr. Young lived to a ripe old age, and the day after his death, November 3, would have been his eighty-sixth birthday anniversary. He was a good neighbor and a most highly respected citizen being a practical lover of the good and the beautiful. He accustomed himself to be closely associated with plants, flowers, and shrubbery and he had many rare varieties of each around him constantly, which seemed to thrive easily when cared for by him."

## SPAH DID NOT BUYGR AIN

Investigation by the board of public works into the charge made by local grain dealers that Matt Spah, tolltaker at the wagon bridge, bought grain from farmers before they had a chance at it, has developed that the charge is unfounded. In one instance—that upon which the charge was founded—Mr. Spah directed a farmer with a load of grain to the American house where John Timp, the proprietor wanted a load of grain for feeding purposes. In so doing, it develops, Mr. Spah merely complied with the telephone request of Timp to "send a farmer with a load of grain around."

See American Express Co.'s window for display of articles to be sold at Baptist church bazaar, Masonic Temple, Nov. 9, 1905.

## ANOTHER STIRRING OPPORTUNITY

# MIGHTY SILK SALE CONTINUED

LAST WEEK IT WAS DRESS GOODS---THIS WEEK IT IS SILKS.

May be you were here. May be you have heard how enthusiastic scores of women were in buying them, such as haven't been equalled before and likely won't be again in Dress Goods. But they're equalled this week in Silks--more than equalled, for some women prefer silks to dress goods. In spite of the low prices that prevail throughout the department you will see Fashion at her best, for some of her foremost manufacturers' products are widely represented in this sale.

The Sale Started Monday Morning, November 6th

BE ON HAND WHEN THE DOORS OPEN AT 8 A. M.  
ITS GOING TO BE A REAL SILK SENSATION. A SALE WITHOUT PARALLEL.

### LOT ONE

Fifteen hundred yards of best quality colored China Silks, Fancy Wash Silks, and a full line of colors in the popular Moire Silks. Every yard regularly worth 50 cents. You may have your choice of the lot at the unusual low price per yard only.....

29c

### LOT TWO

One Thousand yards of all Silk Fancies and Foulards and plain colored Taffeta Silk, values that are positively worth up to 65 cents the yard, are offered as long as they last at a price never before attempted. Your choice at the unusual low price per yard only.....

39c

### LOT THREE

Eighteen hundred yards of Crepe du Chene, Foulard Silks, 21 inch Black Taffeta, (wear guaranteed) Fancy Silks for Waists and Dresses, and the celebrated Boxbay Nevertear Silk in all the leading shades, values worth 75c, sale price the yard only.....

49c

### LOT FOUR

Two Thousand yards plain colored Taffetas, all Silk Fancies for Waists and Dresses, Cheney Bros. Foulards and Black Taffeta and a lot of short lengths in choice patterns and colors, regular \$1.00 values, now marked down to the lowest notch possible, the yard only.....

59c

### LOT FIVE

Two thousand yards of our best Cheney Bros. Wyndham and Haskell's guaranteed Taffeta Silks in plain and changeable colors, a lot of Fancy Silks, 24-inch Black Taffeta, and 22-inch Poi de So, values that are actually worth up to \$1.15, sale price per yard only.....

69c

### LOT SIX

Two thousand yards, a collection of this season's best weaves, Fabrics in all the desirable plain and fancies. A large assortment of the best guaranteed makes in Black Taffetas, Gros Grains, Satins and Peau de So, splendid values at \$1.25, the yard at only.....

89c

### LOT SEVEN

1000 yards best 36-inch Black Taffeta (guaranteed) Belding's best 36-inch Satins in black and colors, wear guaranteed for two years, values positively worth \$1.50 the yard, are offered at a price never before attempted on Silks of equal quality. The price during this great Silk Sale we have reduced way down, to per yard only.....

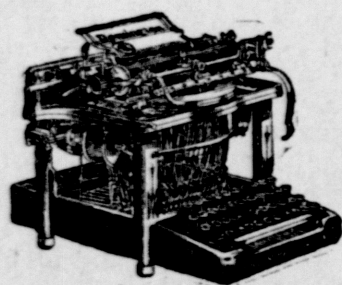
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## SPECIAL NOTICE

The advertised items are not the only bargains we have for you. Many lots are too small to warrant our advertise them, but they will be put on sale nevertheless. Some of our best values will be found among the "not advertised" silks. Be on the lookout for them when you come to our store, and remember, those who come earliest will have best choice.

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## WHAT THE BIJOU IS OFFERING

The announcement of the new program at the Bijou, which opens today will be of especial interest this week owing to the change in variety prepared by the billing agent for the popular vaudeville theatre.

Felice Alexander, a charming sourette appears in a singing and dancing specialty that is captivating. She is a pretty girl and is one of the cleverest products of the Chicago vaudeville houses. Joe Byron and May Blanch depict an original comedy "Matrimonial Sweets in Family Jars," something new and charming in the comedy line.

Of the various attractions none are more entertaining and clever than Rose and Ellis, the barrel jumpers. While this act has frequently been seen in the electrical Bijouetoscope there have never been a team of bar-

rel jumpers in this city and the dexterous work of these comedians will undoubtedly be appreciated.

Will Armond, the eminent baritone, appears in the popular ballad with illustrations, "I'm Longing for You," accompanied by a quartette chorus.

The Morrell stock company presents the one act playlet, "The Whole Bibbs Family" with the following caste:

Benjamin Bibbs, the clubman—Will Armond.

Mrs. Benjamin Bibbs, the meek woman—Mrs. G. Morrell.

Mrs. Barnaby Bibbs, the society woman—Jennie Armond.

Barnaby Bibbs, the wronged husband who rights things—Mr. George Morrell.

This show is bound to please the most fastidious.

## C. W. COWLES GOES INTO ITS WINTER QUARTERS.

The steamer C. W. Cowles, the

property of Capt. Winans, and for the towing trade between St. Paul and past several months in commission in Burlington, Ia., is now at the Dubu-

que levee and will be moved to the Eagle Point ship yards.

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